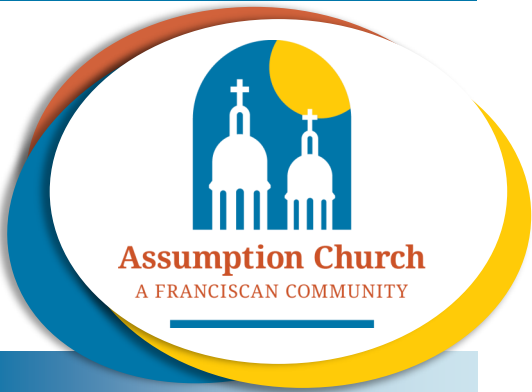


December 9, 2018



# THE FRANCISCAN CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION

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### MASS SCHEDULE:

SUN: 10:00 AM AT ASSUMPTION

MON: 8:30 AM AT ASSUMPTION  
12:15 PM AT DESTINY CHAPEL

TUES: 8:30 AM AT ASSUMPTION  
12:15 PM AT DESTINY CHAPEL

WEDS: 8:30 AM AT ASSUMPTION  
12:15 PM AT DESTINY CHAPEL  
7:15 PM AT DESTINY CHAPEL

THURS: 8:30 AM AT ASSUMPTION  
12:15 PM AT DESTINY CHAPEL

FRI: 8:30 AM AT ASSUMPTION  
12:15 PM AT DESTINY CHAPEL

SAT: 4:00 PM AT ASSUMPTION

HOLIDAY MASSES HELD AT 10AM IN CHURCH.

### EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

FRI: 1– 4 PM AT DESTINY CHAPEL

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SAT: 11 AM– 2 PM AT DESTINY CHAPEL  
3– 3:45 PM AT ASSUMPTION

MON: 2– 4 PM 7:15 PM–8 PM  
AT DESTINY CHAPEL

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*ESTAMOS ENCANTADOS DE SERVIRLE EN ESPAÑOL*

*NOUS SOMMES HEUREUX DE VOUS SERVIR EN FRANÇAIS*

*VISIT OUR CHAPEL & RELIGIOUS GIFT SHOP IN DESTINY USA MALL LOCATED BEHIND THE DSW STORE!*

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A

# Live Nativity

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Assumption Church  
A FRANCISCAN COMMUNITY

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AssumptionSyr.org

All are welcome to come experience the wonder of Christmas with a living nativity just like Saint Francis of Assisi did in 1223 when he celebrated the first Christmas crèche at Greccio, Italy.

**December 16, 2018 at 2:00 p.m.**  
**Christmas Carols • Live Animals • Refreshments**

Join us for Mass at the magnificent Church of The Assumption:  
Christmas Eve: 4:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. Christmas Day: 10:00 a.m.  
Weekend masses: Saturday: 4:00 p.m. and Sunday: 10:00 a.m.



Find out more about the friars at: [Franciscans.org](http://Franciscans.org)



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For low gluten hosts please see a Friar.



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**YOU ARE WELCOME HERE** ♥

**MASS INTENTIONS**  
**FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup>**  
INTENTION/REQUESTED BY

**Sunday, December 9 — Second Sunday of Advent**  
**4:00 pm (Sat)** +Fr. Raynald Yudin / *Joanne Amato*  
**10:00 am (Sun)** For the Parishioners / +Beverly E. White / *Estate* / Betty Herbst, Lucy Lenhart and Lena Schloeder / *Emily & Mary Herbst*

**Monday, December 10 — Advent Weekday**  
**8:30 am** +Bernard White / *Timothy White*

**Tuesday, December 11 — Advent Weekday**  
**8:30 am** Don Cameron / *Sue Mercurio Smith*

**Wednesday, December 12 — Our Lady of Guadalupe**  
**8:30 am** +Edmund Schilling / *The Schilling Family*

**Thursday, December 13 — Saint Lucy, Virgin and Martyr**  
**8:30 AM** +Vincent Moriarity / *Estate*

**Friday, December 14 — Saint John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church**  
**8:30 AM** +John Leskoske / Sister, Joan Leskoske

**Sunday, December 16 — Third Sunday of Advent**  
**4:00 pm (Sat)** +Lois Glassman O'Connell / *Glenn Armstrong & Steve Block*  
**10:00 am (Sun)** For the Parishioners / +Lela Marie Busch / *Debbie & Mark* / Cristiana Dizon / +Roma Iauco / *Pat Kelly*  
**11:15 Alpha Open House**  
**2:00 Live Nativity**

**CONTACT NUMBERS**

Church Office (*Mon - Fri, 9 am - 3 pm*).....422-4833  
Assumption Food Pantry & Soup Kitchen.....473-9101  
Franciscan Northside Ministries.....423-9961  
The Franciscan Place.....471-9511  
FrancisCorps.....426-0481

**PARISH MINISTRY**

Friar Nader Ata, OFM Conv.  
*Associate Pastor*  
Friar Richard Riccioli, OFM Conv.  
*Pastor*  
Rev. Philip Slominski, OFS  
*Deacon*

**OUTREACH MINISTRY DIRECTORS**

Friar James Amrhein, OFM Conv.  
*Food Pantry & Soup Kitchen*  
Friar Nader Ata, OFM Conv.  
*The Franciscan Place*  
Sr. Dolores Bush, OSF  
*Northside Ministries*  
Sr. James Peter Ridgeo, OSF  
*Poverello Health Clinic*

**ALPHA OPEN HOUSE**  
**DECEMBER 9 & 16: RIGHT AFTER MASS!**

You are welcome to join us directly after Mass to learn about Alpha. Come and get to know about this great series which acts as a unique opportunity for those who do not currently have a relationship with Christ. Each session includes lunch, a video and some conversation. The Open House will run: Dec 9 & 16 from 11:15 to 12:30.

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**NEW YEAR'S DAY RETREAT**  
**AT CHRIST THE KING RETREAT CENTER**  
500 Brookfield Rd, Syracuse

How about spending this last day of the year with others to say goodbye to the Old and hello to the New? How do other cultures say goodbye and hello and celebrate a New Year of Grace and Wisdom? Mass will be celebrated at the end of the day. An offering \$30 includes a special delicious lunch. Visit [ctkretreat.com](http://ctkretreat.com) or call (315) 446-2680.

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**GIFTS FOR CHILDREN: LAST CALL!**

Please plan on visiting our Advent Wreath in Church in support families who find themselves in need this Christmas Season. Tags are labeled with gender and age. Please take the tags from the wreath, attach them to the unwrapped gift, and deliver them to the Poverello Health Center by Wednesday, December 12 for distribution at the Giveaway & Breakfast with Santa.

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**SECOND COLLECTION: CATHEDRATICUM**

Today we will take up a second collection in support of our Bishop of the Syracuse Diocese.

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**TRANSFIGURATION CHURCH**  
**CLOTHING SALE**

740 Teall Ave, Syracuse | (315) 479-6129  
Open Thursdays and Saturdays in December:  
6, 8, 13, 15, 20, 22, 27 & 29 from 10 AM—6 PM

New and gently used clothing in all sizes and all seasons; from infant to adult, clothing shoes and accessories. Pricing ranges from \$1-\$6.



**THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU**  
MONDAY DEC. 17, 4-7PM

**OUR LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU!**  
**CONFESSIONS & ADORATION 4-7 PM**

Whether it's been two weeks or 20 years, our light is on for you. Come celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation and let go of what's been weighing you down. We will have adoration available during these hours during which we invite you to spend time with our Lord and also pray for those going to confession. Come and find peace.



**CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE**

**Christmas Eve:**

4:00 PM Children's Liturgy

Be sure to bring the children in your life to this Mass; children, grandchildren, nieces, nephews, etc. They will be invited to participate. We also have the children's area in Church which has books and coloring pages for their use during Mass.

10:00 PM Mass

**Christmas Day:**

10:00 AM Mass

***A message to our Parishioners:***

Please keep in mind that the Christmas Season offers a wonderful opportunity for us to see new faces and meet new people in Church. They may be back in town visiting family, or may have just come along as a guest. These may be people who have been away from Church or this may even be their very first time! Let us be intentional in making everyone feel welcome here at Assumption, especially at Christmas ♥

**MUSIC FOR THE LITURGY**  
**Second Sunday of Advent**

**Prelude:** *O Waly, O Waly*

Doug Nolan *Trumpet*

Pre-Service: #494 *Prepare! Prepare!*

10 AM Choir: *A Virgin Pure and Fair*

**Introductory Rite**

**Processional Hymn #510**

*Come, Lord Jesus*

**Penitential Act**

**Collect**

**Liturgy of the Word**

**Readings #1095**

**Psalm 126 #101** *The Lord Has Done Great Things*

**Alleluia #352**

**Liturgy of the Eucharist**

**Preparation of the Gifts #494**

*Prepare! Prepare!*

10 AM Choir: *How Great is Our God*

**Holy, Holy, Holy #354**

**Memorial Acclamation #356**

**Great Amen #358**

**Communion Rite**

**Lamb of God #359**

**Communion Hymn #508**

*Jesus, Hope of the World*

**Prayer After Communion**

**Concluding Rite**

**Blessing**

**Recessional Hymn #511**

*Lift Up Your Heads*

**Postlude:** *The Angel Gabriel Basque Carol*

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